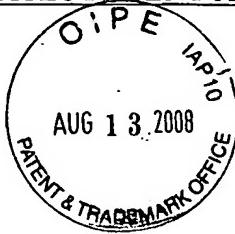


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Extension fee for response within first month:

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Extension fee for response within fifth month:

() By a small entity (§1.9(f)).....	\$ 1115.00
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